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1—LEGION OF MERIT. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Commander) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services is awarded to—

General Gribaldo Alfonso Mino Tapia, Army of Ecuador, 1 February 1982 to 15 February 1984.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Officer) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services is awarded to—

Brigadier General Jose A. Bueso Rosa, Army of Honduras, January 1982 to February 1984.

Major Eduardo Emilio Herrera Hassan, National Guard of Panama, September 1980 to May 1983.

Brigadier General Carl-Helmut Lichel, 210832-L-10316, Army of the Federal Republic of Germany, 5 January 1981 to 30 September 1983.

Brigadier General Luis Eduardo Roca Maichel, Army of the Republic of Colombia, August 1982 to August 1983.

II—SOLDIER'S MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 2 July 1926, a Soldier's Medal for heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy is awarded to—

Sergeant Charles A. Cole, , United States Army, for heroism on 30 April 1983, while a member of F Battery, 29th Field Artillery, Grafenwoehr Training Area, Federal Republic of Germany.

Sergeant First Class Mike A. Culbreth, , United States Army, for heroism on 21 November 1983, while assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Specialist Four *Paul M. Dana*, , United States Army, for heroism on 30 October 1983, while assigned to the 57th Medical Detachment, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Staff Sergeant Robert P. Evans, , United States Army, for heroism on 18 December 1944, while assigned to the 500th Bombardment

Group, Pacific Theater of Operations. This award is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 1-13d, AR 672-5-1.

Private Timothy A. Hewgley, , United States Army, for heroism on 15 August 1983, while assigned to Company A, 3d Battalion, 10th Infantry (Mechanized), 5th Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Polk, Louisiana.

Specialist Five Dale R. Moore, , United States Army, for heroism on 12 April 1983, while assigned to the 2d Adjutant General Company, 2d Infantry Division, Republic of Korea.

Sergeant Paul L. O'Neill, , United States Army, for heroism on 9 July 1983, while a member of Company B, 501st Military Intelligence Battalion, Federal Republic of Germany.

III—BRONZE STAR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, a Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device for heroism in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to—

First Lieutenant John C. Kessler, , Infantry, United States Army, for heroism on 10 January 1945 while a member of Company C, 509th Parachute Infantry Battalion, European Theater of Operations. This award is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 1-30, AR 672-5-1.

Master Sergeant Keith W. Purdue, , United States Army for actions on 25 October 1983. This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal with "V" Device, awarded to Master Sergeant Keith W. Purdue for valorous actions on 25 October 1983, as announced in Department of the Army General Orders No. 5, dated 27 January 1984.

IV—MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 2-15, AR 672-5-1, the Meritorious Service Medal for outstanding meritorious service is awarded to—

Colonel Chung Dong Suck, 228543, Republic of Korea Army, 4 February 1982 to 1 July 1983.

Lieutenant Colonel *Dieter Meirich*, 030539-M-60913, Army of the Federal Republic of Germany, 1 April 1981 to 1 April 1983.

Colonel Erich Schwill-Engelhardt, 010325-S-21715, Army of the Federal Republic of Germany, 1 April 1980 to 31 March 1984.

V—AIR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242—A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal with "V" Device for heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to—

Sergeant George H. Thompson, , (then Specialist Four), United States Army, for action on 15 September 1969, while a member of Company C, 1st Battalion, 20th Infantry, Americal Division. This award is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 1-30, AR 672-5-1.

VI-ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. 1. By direction of the Sec-

retary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 2-18, AR 672-5-1, The Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service is awarded to—

Captain Sebastian Batistuta, 56-2007-11, Brazilian Marine Corps, 1 January 1982 to 1 January 1984.

Captain Oscar Enrique Gonzalez Pena, 7002273, Army of Colombia, 1 January 1983 to 15 December 1983.

Lieutenant Colonel F.S.J.B. Hennen, 72681, Belgian Army, 19 December 1980 to 7 June 1983.

First Lieutenant Kim Hong Joong, 518026, Republic of Korea Army, 1 October 1982 to 17 June 1983.

Captain Lee Jae Kwan, 21385, Republic of Korea Army, 1 February 1982 to 5 July 1983.

Lieutenant Miguel Angel Nieto, 8-152-120, National Guard of Panama, 3 January 1983 to 3 January 1984.

Staff Sergeant Antonio Ricaldi-Cajahuanca, 30417500, Army of Peru, 29 January 1982 to 31 December 1983.

Sergeant Major Horst Hermann Thyroff, 250734-T-21711, Army Reserve of the Federal Republic of Germany, 15 January 1974 to 1 September 1983.

Staff Sergeant Sergio Enrique Urena, 38785, Army of Ecuador, 11 January 1982 to 11 January 1984.

Lieutenant Colonel Rafael Vega-Ruiz, 49705, Army of Chile, 1 January 1983 to 31 December 1983.

2. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 2-18, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious achievement is awarded to—

Captain Cho Chul Hwan, 515068, Republic of Korea Army, 19 August 1983 to 30 August 1983.

Colonel  $Park\ Saeng\ Kyu$ , 194134, Republic of Korea Army, 1 December 1981 to 2 April 1982.

3. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 2-18, AR 672-5-1, The Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement is awarded to—

Captain Jose Antonio Pereira-Ortega, EHO-0916, Army of the Republic of Honduras, 1 March 1983 to 19 August 1983.

VII—BATTLE HONORS. So much of Section XIII, paragraph 2, War Department General Orders Number 44, 1945, as pertains to the 3d Infantry Division, is amended to add the following attached unit: 3d Battalion, 40th Engineer Regiment (for the period 22 January 1945 to 2 February 1945 only).

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By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

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